

STATE OF TASMANIA
MONTHLY STATISTICS - MAY-JUNE, 1941.

RAILWAYS

		<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
		<u>May.</u>	<u>March.</u>	<u>April.</u>	<u>May.</u>
Gross Revenue	£	42,917	53,815	54,796	54,135
Working Costs, excl. Interest	£	48,979	54,966	57,211	60,845
Train Miles run (inc. Rail Motor)	No.	187,351	186,961	189,269	187,680
Passenger Journeys	"	193,482	276,805	235,950	196,313
Goods and Live Stock	Tons	57,221	88,679	80,300	98,762

ELECTRIC POWER- Units generated by

	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
	<u>June.</u>	<u>May.</u>	<u>June.</u>
Hydro-Electric Department	47,592,900	56,990,100	54,719,700
Mt. Lyell Mining & Railway Co.)			
Launceston City Council)			
Pioneer Tin Mining Co.)			
Small, Plants, estimated)	6,255,149	4,805,808	5,638,145
Total Units	53,848,049	61,795,908	60,357,845
Units supplied to Hobart Metropolitan area:	31,620,100	32,783,100	31,972,000
" " " Launceston & Suburbs:	2,935,498	3,134,643	3,177,089

EMPLOYMENT - Private.

	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
	<u>June.</u>	<u>April.</u>	<u>May.</u>	<u>June.</u>
50 Factories	9,791	10,064	10,235	10,548
14 Retail, etc.	1,017	1,004	1,016	1,024
10 Miscellaneous, incl. Banks, Insurance, Motor Oils, Private Railways, etc.	1,060	1,005	1,005	1,021
	11,868	12,073	12,255	12,593

REAL ESTATE STATISTICS.

	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
	<u>June.</u>	<u>April.</u>	<u>May.</u>	<u>June.</u>
<u>Real Property Act.</u>	£	£	£	£
Value of Land Transfers	104,396	135,256	112,182	120,399
" " Mortgages registered	72,095	64,608	71,413	64,591
" " " discharged	51,833	48,159	89,968	53,770
" " " partially discharged	4,935	62	1,072	965
<u>Registration under Deeds Act.</u>				
Value of Conveyances	72,453	121,527	94,080	71,441
" " Mortgages	41,399	52,289	59,400	42,046
" " Reconveyances	42,657	29,189	54,804	20,652

FINANCE.

June 1940 and 1941.

Consolidated Revenue Fund.

<u>Receipts.</u>				<u>Payments.</u>			
<u>June.</u>	<u>Year.</u>	<u>June.</u>	<u>Year.</u>	<u>June.</u>	<u>Year.</u>	<u>June.</u>	<u>Year.</u>
1940	1941	1939-40	1940-41	1940	1941	1939-40	1940-41
£455,021	£617,925	£3,055,310	£2,921,576	£413,244	£276,753	£3,052,909	£3,103,207
Excess of Payments over Receipts for 12 months 1940-41				:		£181,631	
" " " " " " " " 1939-40				:		£2,401	

SAVINGS BANK DEPOSITS.

	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
	<u>June.</u>	<u>May.</u>	<u>June.</u>
	£	£	£
Commonwealth Savings Bank -	2,297,109	2,358,134	2,423,313
Trustee Savings Banks - Hobart, L'ton.	6,220,253	6,527,371	6,518,035
	8,517,362	8,885,505	8,941,348

BANK CLEARINGS

	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
	<u>June.</u>	<u>March.</u>	<u>April.</u>
	£	£	£
Hobart	3,493,764	3,380,403	2,886,399
Launceston	1,345,865	1,331,880	1,443,575

BUTTER PRODUCTION (Factory)

	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
	<u>June.</u>	<u>March.</u>	<u>April.</u>	<u>June.</u>
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
Butter lb.	132,757	473,033	311,962	200,429
				154,043

MOTOR REGISTRATIONS (Exclusive of Commonwealth-Owned Motor Vehicles) - June, 1941
(of Civil and Defence Services.)

	<u>Lorries, &c.</u>	<u>Utilities.</u>	<u>Motor Cycles.</u>	<u>Cars & Other Vehicles.</u>
No. on Register at 1.6.41.	3,157	2,297	3,233	17,560
Lapsed Registrations	228	157	197	1,064
	2,929	2,140	3,036	16,496
<u>Registrations - June, 1941:</u>				
New Vehicles	20	3	4	19
Used Vehicles	191	175	139	822
No. on Register end June, 1941:	3,140	2,318	3,179	17,337
" " " " " 1940:	5,235	(a)	3,351	17,598
(a) Included with Lorries.				

<u>COMMONWEALTH SALES TAX.</u>	<u>Net Sales of Taxable and Exempt Goods.</u>	<u>Net Taxable Sales.</u>	<u>Sales Tax Collected.</u>
<u>1940</u>	£	£	£
June	751,668	181,069	16,689
<u>1941</u>			
April	762,683	286,634	26,492
May	1,040,655	329,336	31,320
June	830,629	287,777	32,970
12 months 1940-41:	10,078,805	3,049,453	294,847
12 months 1939-40:	8,979,620	2,583,296	180,044

<u>RETAIL PRICE INDEX NUMBERS.</u>	<u>"C" Series - "All Items"</u>		
	<u>1940</u>	<u>1941</u>	<u>1941</u>
	<u>2nd. Quarter.</u>	<u>1st. Quarter.</u>	<u>2nd. Quarter.</u>
Hobart	938	982	994
Launceston	921	963	973
Burnie	907	956	971
Devonport	886	935	953
Queenstown	929	976	991
Weighted Average 5 Towns Tasmania	929	973	985
" " 4 Country Towns	917	960	972

BUILDING PERMITS - July 1941 and 1940.

	<u>New Buildings for Habitation.</u>		<u>New Buildings for Other Purposes.</u>		<u>Alterations & Additions.</u>		<u>Totals.</u>	
	<u>Permits No.</u>	<u>Contract Price. £</u>	<u>Permits No.</u>	<u>Contract Price. £</u>	<u>Permits No.</u>	<u>Contract Price. £</u>	<u>Permits No.</u>	<u>Contract Price. £</u>
<u>Month</u>								
<u>1941</u>								
July	35	38,927	1	456	21	5,478	57	44,861
<u>1940</u>								
July	19	20,244	2	14,000(a)	16	1,142	37	35,386

(a) Governemtn Contract - One £12,000.

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